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Dog Training Club of Dallas County Members Newsletter
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July Birthdays!

- Scott Freeman 7/2
- Tom Griggs 7/2
- Pam White..... 7/2
- Ellen Jackson 7/6
- Georgann Hughes..... 7/11
- Jan Raines 7/12
- David Elliott..... 7/14
- Greg Quintana..... 7/16
- Lisa Anderson 7/25
- Sheryl Archer 7/29
- Laurie Rodriguez 7/30



A Very Happy Birthday To All!

Members are asked to bring a wrapped gift to the club meeting for the month of their Birthday. The gifts go to the winners of the Sunshine Drawings. Sunshine funds raised are used to purchase cards, flowers, or other expressions of care and concern for club members who need support and comfort. Please support Sunshine by bringing your gifts. **If you missed the month of your birthday or there was no meeting that month, you may bring your gift in a following month!**



JULY GENERAL MEETING
THERE WILL BE NO GENERAL MEETING IN JULY.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Summer time is in full swing and folks are out and about. We hope you have some time to join the fun of our Summer Social that will be held on July 18th. This is a great time to bring your family and dogs for an afternoon of good food, nice people and a few games. The Social Committee will be providing all the details but please carve out some time to come and join the club as we celebrate friendships made through the mutual love of dogs and training.

Robin Quintana



THE DT CDC SUMMER SOCIAL
JULY 18
1:00 – 4:00 pm

**The Club provides the meat.
Members are asked to bring a side dish or dessert.**

Dogs are Welcome!



**There will be doggy games
after lunch.**



**Please remember to bring
something to put under your
crate to protect the new
flooring.**



**Volunteers are needed to
help with set up at 6:00 pm
on July 17 and to stay after
the party to help with
cleanup. If you can help,
please contact Robin Romig
at:**



rrromig@msn.com

Dallas-Fort Worth Dachshund Club's 70th Anniversary Year Obedience & Rally Extravaganza

3 Obedience & 3 Rally Trials over 2 Days – June 20, & 21, 2015
Reporting by Sandi Myers, Trial Secretary

The setting is the Dog Training Club of Dallas County in Duncanville, TX, a great training facility located in a southern suburb of Dallas. This is the third year the Dallas-Fort Worth Dachshund Club has held their annual 3 obedience & 3 rally trials for dachshunds-only. There were 70 entries total (25 rally & 45 obedience) which is very fitting for celebrating our 70th Anniversary year. DFWDC offered all of the regular rally and obedience classes, all of the optional titling classes, plus non-regular classes of brace and veterans. We had no non-regular entries this year. What a year it was...

The first rally trial had 8 dachshunds entered from 6 owners, trial #2 had 9 dachshunds entered from 7 owners, and trial #3 had 8 dachshunds entered from 6 owners under judges Pat Gannon (#1) and Rose O'Hara (#2 & #3). There were 21 qualifying runs in rally with 6 new titles for the weekend. This is an 84% pass rate, up 21% from last year. The largest rally class with some challenging courses, the Excellent B class, had a 100% Qualifying rate.

In obedience, the first trial had 14 dachshunds with 17 entries. At the second trial there were 12 dachshunds with 14 entries. At the third trial there were 12 dachshunds with a total of 14 entries. Our judges were Pat Gannon (#1 & #2) and Jim Merchant (#3). There were 20 qualifying runs out of 36 in obedience with a 56% pass rate (9 entries were absent). Gene Morris & Zeke retired the High In Trial Challenge Trophy for the third time in a row, they also won High Combined at the second & third trials. The DCA 2nd High In Trial went to Sandi Myers & Mr. Tali (from Novice B) at the first trial on Saturday and Kathie Reid & Jack earned the 2nd HIT DCA medallion at trial #2 on Saturday (from Open B).

Exhibitors were entered from 3 states (Iowa, Louisiana, & Texas); however, the exhibitor from Louisiana was unable to participate due to illness. Entered in the trials were 7 mini longs, 4 mini smooths, 2 mini wires, and 3 standard longs. Rally titles earned were 2 RNs, 1 RA, 3 REs. Obedience titles earned were 3 CDs. One exhibitor's dachshund earned his UDX9 at a show right before our show, so he earned 2 legs on the UDX10 while at our show.

A special thank you to JoAnne McCraw for donating all of the High In Trial and High Combined dachshund plate trophies of which Gene Morris & Zeke won them all for a nice luncheon set! DFWDC also gave all exhibitors our now traditional swag bag (a swag container this year) in place of trophies (everyone goes home with something). The swag container had handmade dachshund-shaped soap, a hand quilted dog bowl mat, toys, notecards, cold pack, lucky pin, a screen cleaning cloth and free room night compliments of Red Roof, and homemade dog treats. Each exhibitor also received the 70th Anniversary Logo pin (if they had not already received one for an event earlier in the year). All contributors to the swag were given a listing in the catalog. We also advertised all of the 70th Anniversary donors with a separate listing for those who donated specifically toward Obedience & Rally. Several people purchased ads in the catalog.

Of course we could not have a smooth running event without the Committee and the volunteers who stewarded, helped set up and provide lunches both days (our Salad Buffet is becoming famous), ring set-up/take down, those attending for moral support & cheering squad, and clean up at the end of the trial. Thank you to everyone who helped.

The rings were decorated with the 70th Anniversary glitter dachshund cut-out streamers that were made for the conformation show. They added a festive look along the outside of the front ring gates facing the audience. Ken Hagmueller & I provided a celebratory half vanilla, half chocolate, sheet cake with the 70th Logo airbrushed in the buttercream icing. All of the lunch buffet items were delicious (as usual), some club members bringing a salad dish & dessert both days. All in all another successful event. Time to start planning for 2016.



Dog Training Club of Dallas County General Membership Meeting

Minutes

June 2, 2015

7:10 PM

DTCDC

MEETING CALLED BY	Robin Quintana, President
TYPE OF MEETING	General Membership
FACILITATOR	Robin Quintana
NOTE TAKER	Terri Schurr, Secretary
ATTENDEES	See Attendance List

Agenda topics

07:05 pm

Meeting Called to Order

Robin Quintana

DISCUSSION	Robin Quintana called the meeting to order and proceeded with the agenda. Thank you to Donna Heishman, David & Barbara Elliot and Greg & Robin Quintana for bringing snacks tonight.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

Correction to Minutes/approval

ROBIN QUINTANA

DISCUSSION	None
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	Motion to accept the May minutes by: Laurie Rodriguez. Second by: Greg Quintana The motion passed unanimously.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE

BENITA ZAPATA

DISCUSSION	None
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

TREASURER'S REPORT

LANA SHUMAN

DISCUSSION	Lana provided the Treasurer's report to the membership.		
	Financial Statement for May 2015: Balance Sheet as of May 31st, 2015:		
	Operating Account Balance	\$15,309	
	Savings Account Balance	\$39,784	
	Profit and Loss Statement:		
		May	Year to date
	Total Proceeds	\$2,873	\$14,738
	Total Expenditures	\$3,818	\$10,688
	Net Surplus/Deficit	\$-945	\$4,050
	Year to Date – Net Surplus (May 2014)		\$5,262
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None		

TRAINING COMMITTEE**ROBIN ROMIG**

DISCUSSION	Danika provided an update on the Nosework Classes that will restart. Beginner classes will be held on Sundays beginning July 12th. An Advanced class will be held on Tuesdays beginning July 7th. A seminar will be given on Wednesday, July 8th. All registrations will be handled through Carol Ford.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

ADVERTISING/PUBLIC RELATIONS**LAURIE RODRIGUEZ/DONNA HEISHMAN**

DISCUSSION	Donna provided an update on who was awarded the DTDCDC sponsored trophies at the Bluebonnet Stampede held in April. She also circulated the program from the Pet Expo.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

BUILDING & MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE**BOB RODRIGUEZ**

DISCUSSION	Bob is working a temporary solution for the entrance way. A long term solution is still being evaluated.
ACTION/ Conclusions	None

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE**TERRI SCHURR**

DISCUSSION	Terri Schurr introduced Patty & Mike Taylor for a family membership. Larry and Paula Innis are renewing the family membership.
CONCLUSIONS	Motion to accept these applicants for membership by: Danika Taylor Second by: Sandi Myers The motion passed unanimously.

PURCHASING**LYNDA HOLMAN**

DISCUSSION	Tote bags were delivered by Kim LeGrand. Bait aprons have been restocked and bait bags are on order.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

SHOW AND GO**PAM CHRYSTAL & CHRIS TEEL**

DISCUSSION	June 13th th is the next Show and Go. Please contact Chris if you are interested in volunteering. The next ones are scheduled for July 11 th and August 29th.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

COMMUNITY EVENTS COMMITTEE**GREG QUINTANA**

DISCUSSION	Thanks to the volunteers who came out to help with the Bark for Life and Pet Expo Events. We are still waiting on reschedule information for the Barks N BBQ event benefitting the Pet Memorial Cemetery.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

WEBSITE**GLEN O'GORMAN**

DISCUSSION	The notification for tonight's club meeting had a start time of 8pm.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	Robin will notify Glen update the time.

THERAPY COMMITTEE**MARK MALONE**

DISCUSSION	None
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

FIRST NIGHT/PHONE COMMITTEE**CAROL FORD**

DISCUSSION	None
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

BUILDING RENTAL**SHERYL ARCHER**

DISCUSSION	Dachshund rental is June 20th and June 21st. The building will be closed starting the Friday before and will reopen the Monday afterwards.
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

WALL COMMITTEE**DONNA HEISHMAN**

DISCUSSION	None
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

OLD BUSINESS**ROBIN QUINTANA**

DISCUSSION	None
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	None

NEW BUSINESS**ROBIN QUINTANA**

DISCUSSION	<p>It is never a bad idea to remind ourselves about being safe at the Club especially at night time. I would recommend that Assistants step out with class members as they are leaving at the end of class especially if you are the last class of the evening. It also not a bad idea to step out front every so often and make a quick check of the parking lot. Please also remind your students to ensure that their vehicles are locked and that any valuables are tucked away out of sight. We have not any reports of any incidents other than a few observations of folks hanging around the gate or walking by slowly. If you are at the club by yourself or will be spending limited time coming back out of the building, my recommendation is to lock the gates behind you. If you suspect something suspicious or something happens to a vehicle, please call 911 immediately as well sending me an email. Your safety and the safety of our students are very important!!</p> <p>The Summer Social has been scheduled for July 18th. This is a fun event where members and their dogs attend an afternoon of food, fun and games. The Social Committee will provide additional information in the July Pawprint and the email group.</p>
ACTION/ CONCLUSION	A motion was made by Karen Henry to cancel our July Membership meeting. A second was received by Greg Quintana. The motion passed unanimously.

Sunshine Club Drawing Winners:

1. Greg & Robin Quintana
2. Lynda Holman
3. Sharon Fabrega
4. Barbara Elliott

Paw Print Family for July 2015: Pam WhitePaw Print Family for August 2015: Carol FordRefreshments for August 2015: Lana & Craig Shuman, David & Barbara Elliott, Sharon Fabrega

Motion to adjourn to Brags at 7:48PM was made by Greg Quintana and seconded by Joanne McGraw. Motion passed unanimously.

Brags were announced by members. Refer to written "Brag List" for details.

Respectfully Submitted for approval,
Terri Schurr, Secretary



Dog Training Club of Dallas County

Board Meeting

MINUTES

JUNE 9, 2015

DTCDC

MEETING CALLED BY	Robin Quintana, President
TYPE OF MEETING	Board Meeting
FACILITATOR	Robin Quintana
NOTE TAKER	Terri Schurr, Secretary
ATTENDEES	Danika Taylor, Mark Malone, Ellen Jackson, Lynda Holman, Laurie Rodriguez, Joanne McGraw

Agenda topics

7:07PM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

ROBIN QUINTANA

DISCUSSION	Robin Quintana called the meeting to order and proceeded to the agenda items.
CONCLUSION	None

CORRECTION TO MINUTES/APPROVAL

ROBIN QUINTANA

DISCUSSION	None
CONCLUSIONS	Laurie Rodriguez made a motion to accept the corrected minutes May minutes. Second made by Danika Taylor. Motion passed unanimously.

TREASURER'S REPORT

LANA SHUMAN

DISCUSSION	None
CONCLUSIONS	None

BUILDING MAINTENANCE

BOB RODRIGUEZ

DISCUSSION	Bob has spent several hours over the last week filling in the low spot at the gate entrance. Bob discussed providing a short term solution by adding crushed granite to concrete mix followed by additional gravel. This would help with keeping the low area from washing out. For a longer term solution, we may need to look at contracting someone to lay a drain pipe and perhaps a concrete drive way similar to our neighbors next door.
CONCLUSION	Bob will work with David Yahraus to contact the city for their recommendations as the situation seems to be worsened by the fact that our driveway does not have proper drainage. Bob will also secure bids for making the modifications to improve drainage and put in a concrete drive versus keeping the gravel drive.

TRAINING COMMITTEE

ROBIN ROMIG

DISCUSSION	The early Rally Class has been starting at 6:15pm. There was as request to see if we could possibly move the late rate class or perhaps combine the classes.
CONCLUSIONS	Robin Quintana will reach out to the instructors of the early rally class to see if the late class can be moved up. Any formal change to the time will need to be approved by the Training Committee.

BUILDING RENTAL

ROBIN QUINTANA

DISCUSSION	Sandi Myers with the Dallas/Ft Worth Dachshund Club has requested to roll over their building rental deposit rather than returning after each year's building rental.
CONCLUSIONS	This practice is currently in place for the Chihuahua club. Robin to notify Lana Shuman-Treasurer and Sandi Myers.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

TERRI SCHURR

DISCUSSION	None
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CONCLUSIONS	None
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COMMUNITY EVENTS

ROBIN QUINTANA

DISCUSSION	None
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CONCLUSIONS	None
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PURCHASING

LYNDA HOLMAN

DISCUSSION	
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CONCLUSIONS	
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NEW BUSINESS

ROBIN QUINTANA

DISCUSSION	None
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CONCLUSIONS	None
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OLD BUSINESS

ROBIN QUINTANA

DISCUSSION	None
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CONCLUSIONS	None
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A motion to adjourn the meeting was made Joanne McGraw and a second made by Ellen Jackson. The motion passed unanimously.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:47 PM.

Respectfully submitted for approval,

Terri Schurr, Secretary.





Pamela Chrystal brags: Gizmo finished her Beginner Novice, Companion Dog and Rally Novice ASCA titles Memorial weekend.

- Beginner Novice: Placed 2nd Friday with a 193, Placed 2nd Saturday with a 196, Placed 3rd Sunday with a 195.5
- Novice B: Placed 2nd on Friday with a 190, Placed 3rd on Sunday and finished her CD
- Rally Novice earned her title Friday with an X leg and a score of 196

Clover finished her Beginner Novice and Rally Novice X ASCA titles Memorial weekend.

- Beginner Novice: Won the class Friday with a 197, Placed 3rd Saturday with a 195, Placed 2nd Sunday with a 197.5
- Rally Novice: Earned her second "X" leg with a 197 and placed 3rd Friday, Earned her final "X" leg, finished her title Saturday with a 200 and won the class
- Rally Advanced on Sunday: Earned her first Rally Advanced leg and won the class

Clover also earned her first two legs toward her AKC Rally Novice title at the Fort Worth Basset Hound Club Rally Trial

- She earned a 99 for her first leg and placed third
- She won the class for her second leg with a 99

Karen Henry brags: It was a great weekend at the DFW Dachshund Club Rally and Obedience trials. Casey was thwarted by the evil toys in the first Rally trial on Saturday, but made up for it with a very nice qualifying run in Beginner Novice B at the first obedience trial on Saturday. He had a score of 193 1/2, for 1st place. By the second obedience trial, he was very tired, but managed to do a great job on everything except waiting for that "Come" command on the recall. So close, and yet so far. He more than redeemed himself on Sunday. There were no evil toys on the courses in either Rally trial. He qualified in both trials in Rally Advanced A with scores of 93 and 78, both for 1st place, and completed his RA title. Hooray! He followed that up with a very nice performance in Beginner Novice B, with a score of 191 1/2, and 1st place. Now he needs one more leg for his BN title.

Couper was entered in Rally Novice B all three trials to do our part to support the entry. He apparently didn't bring his sits, and he has never believed in "Down". He managed one qualifying run out of the 3, but he had a very good time cheering on little brother Casey, and visiting with his other Dachshund friends.

JoAnne McCraw brags: Dick's Shadow's Just My Gus MS did great his very first weekend to show at the DFW Dachshund Club Obedience and Rally Trails. On Saturday in Rally Novice B under judge Patricia Gannon, Gus earned his first leg. On Sunday in Rally Novice B under judge Rosemarie O'Hara, Gus earned his second and third legs for his very first title, RN. I am so very proud of my little Gus!

Sandi Myers and Ken Hagmueller brags: Mr. Tali was entered in the Dallas Fort Worth Dachshund Club trials held at DTDCDC on June 20 & 21, 2015. He was entered 3 times in 3 different classes in the 3 rally & 3 obedience trials. He qualified on Saturday at the first trial in Rally Excellent for his 2nd leg, then in Novice at the first obedience trial he earned his CD with a 1st Place, 193.5 score and was Second High In Trial. He also earned his first Pre-Novice (PCD) leg with a 193.5 at the first trial. At the second obedience trial, Mr. Tali earned an insurance leg in Novice with another 1st Place. At the third obedience trial (on Sunday) he earned another insurance leg in Novice with 2nd Place. At the second Rally trial Mr. Tali earned his RE with a 2nd Place with an 89+ (1 IP cost him 10 points - excellent stands & downs are our bug-a-boo). At the third Rally trial he earned another Q in Excellent with 2 IP (more stands/downs) and a score of 80 and 3rd place. If he would just remember "Stand" and "Down" he might would get to go for the RAE! LOL Out of the 9 runs, he qualified 7 times.

Peggy Phelps brags: Rocket got UDX leg #8 and a third place in Utility today. So proud of my boy

Craig & Lana Shuman brags: Champ went Best of Breed four days in a row at the Lake Charles shows on June 4-7!

Paw Print Family
Pam White

My husband & I own Canine Workshop which is a boarding & training center in Dallas. We breed German shepherds and occasionally other working breed dogs. It seems I've been involved with dogs my entire life. As a teenager I got my first black German shepherd and only a month ago my husband brought me a present of a 5 mos. old black German shepherd.

I love agility and the relationship it builds between handler & dog. Currently I show my giant schnauzer, Korel & German shepherd, Micah, in obedience, agility & dock jumping, my boston terrier, Oreo, in obedience & agility, and my Belgian Tervuren, Kito, in conformation.

I love being a member of the club and meeting handlers & their dogs as they train their dogs and enjoy the special teamwork which comes with training.



WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!

Patty & Mike Taylor - Family Membership
Irving, TX
3 Newfoundlands, Magnum, Thor, & Kimber
1 All American (Great Pyr/Border Collie Mix) Lexi

RENEWING MEMBERS!

Paula & Larry Innis - Family Membership
Fort Worth, TX
1 Dachshund - Chip



Happy 4th of July

Keep those dogs safe! Remember fireworks can scare your dogs.



UPCOMING EVENTS - JULY 2015 AND BEYOND

CLASS SCHEDULE

2015 – Session #4

<u>Class:</u>	<u>Start Date:</u>	<u>Time:</u>	<u>Instructor:</u>
Mon. Beginner	Aug 3	7:00 pm	Jan Bajovich
Mon. Puppy	Aug 3	8:15 pm	
Tue. Conformation		8:15 pm	Greg Quintana
Wed. Beginner	Aug 5	7 :00 pm	
Wed. Intermediate	Aug 5	8:15 pm	
Thu. Novice Polish	Aug 6	7:00 pm	Peggy Phelps
Thu. Beg. Open	Aug 6	8:15 pm	
Fri. Adv. Rally	Aug 7	6:30 pm	
Fri. Beg. Rally	Aug 7	8:15 pm	
Sun. Adv. Open	Aug 9	1:00 pm	Instructors Rotate
Sun. Utility	Aug 9	2:15 pm	Instructors Rotate

To volunteer to instruct or assist a class, call or email Sally Browning or Robin Romig.

OTHER EVENTS AROUND THE AREA

July 2 – 5 – Lone Star State Classic Dog Show @ Dallas Market Hall

July 11th – Low Cost Pet Vaccinations, Vet Services & Microchips @ Lee Harvey’s 1807 Gould St Dallas Vet Truck will be there from 1 – 4pm

July 12 – Show ‘n Go Tri-County Dog Training 8064 Briar Rd Azle. ASCA - \$5 ea run

Aug 15 – Dog Jog & Paws in the Pool @ Crawford Park 401 Straus, Cedar Hill 7am – 12pm

Aug 15 – 16 ASCA Obedience/Rally weekend. Tri County Dog Training, Azle.

Nov 8 – DFWMGRC will hold a Show ‘N Go at Houn’ House \$8 first run/\$6 second run same dog- 4926 Dozier Rd, Carrollton

DTCDC SHOW & GO EVENT

Saturday, July 11, 2015

Come out to the Obedience Show & Go that will be held at the building on Saturday, July 11, 2015.

Sign ups for all classes cut off at 3 pm. Novice and Open start at 1 pm. Utility follows (usually about 3 pm) .

Fees are \$6 for the 1st run, \$4 second run/same dog.

For more information or to volunteer contact: **Chris Teel** dogmomx@tx.rr.com or **214-356-8159**.

July 2015 Pocket Calendar

July 2015 Pocket Calendar						
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7 No General Meeting	8	9	10	11 Show N Go 1-5 PM
12	13	14 No Board Meeting	15	16	17	18 DTCDC Social 1- 4
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

Notes: Each Friday the club is closed in the AM for cleaning.

For more complete information on shows go to: www.akc.org and click on Events or go to www.onofrio.com and click on Show Information. *There is too much information to list it all.*

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